

Sunday August 13th –The 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am: Bob Hunek of by wife Claire

11am: sp. Dolores Malek of. by Ralph & Nancy Paris

Readings: 1Kings 19:9,11-13, Romans 9:1-5, Matthew 14:22-33

Lector – Chuck Repede

Greeters – Gail Perz & Claire Hunek

Collectors – Pete O’Connor and Pete Moritz

- Coffee Hour takes place after 9am Holy Mass
- YMSofR Cookout – See announcement

The Week Ahead

MONDAY, August 14th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

TUESDAY, August 15th

9am – Holy Mass for the Dormition/Assumption of the BVM

WEDNESDAY, August 16th

THURSDAY, August 17th

9am – Holy Mass of the Day

6-8pm – Women’s AA meets

FRIDAY, August 18th

SATURDAY, August 19th

3rd Annual YMSofR Golf Tourney takes place in Buffalo, NY

8pm – Parma Saturday Meets

SUNDAY, August 20th – The Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am: Hanna Pryer of. by husband Len & family **11am: dla parafia**

Readings: Isaiah 56:1,6-7, Romans 11:13-15,29-32, Matthew 15:21-28

Lector – Jo Ann Long

Greeters – John Kobalka & Katie Repede

Collectors – Greg Hodor & John Kobalka

- Coffee Hour takes place after 9am Holy Mass

Announcements

FEAST OF THE DORMITION – On Tuesday, August 15th, we bless flowers and herbs in honor of the Feast of the Dormition/Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Church tradition calls for the faithful to bring herbs from the garden, fresh flowers and vegetables to be blessed by the priest at the beginning of Mass. This is a Holy Day of the patroness of our parish, the Blessed Virgin Mary – please consider attending Mass.

TODAY’S MUSIC – As our organist is off for today, we welcome all to join in one voice the responses to today’s Mass. Also, we welcome Matthew Moritz, as he plays the Offertory and Communion hymns for us at the 9am Mass...wish him well as he is off to OSU!

PIEROGI – There are a limited number of frozen dozens of pierogi for sale. Please stop by in the Board Room to see what is left among kraut, potato/cheese, and sweet cheese – the cost is \$7 per dozen, as was voted on by the Parish Committee earlier this year.

FOOD MINISTRY – After taking the month of July off due to the PolishFest, our monthly Food Ministry took place this past Wednesday to a large crowd of 88 attendees, including a number of first-timers. Our year-to-date total is 520 mouths fed and souls served by our hospitality.

WOMEN’S CONFERENCE – A women’s retreat will be taking place October 18-21 in Erie, PA, sponsored by the National Society Board of the Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Entitled, “Who Am I?”, it is open to all PNCC women age 16+. Information & registration packets are posted on the Bulletin Board and can be found online at pncc.org.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER- Today, and for the entire month of August, we will use the 5th Eucharistic Prayer on pg 92.

ELEVATION – Dr. Jim Ploskonka will be elevated to Cleric at a service at St. Mary’s on Friday, September 15 at an evening service. He has been in the Diocesan Diaconate program for the last 2 years, studying to be a Permanent Deacon. Bishop Stanley Bilinski approves all candidates and elevations in our diocese.

WHAT IS A CLERIC? – The best way to describe a cleric is as “an apprenticeship”. “Cleric” is the first step in the formation process to the ordained ministry, be it deacon or priest. A man is “tonsured” which is his “first sacrifice”...hair, often in a circle like a monk or with 5 snips, representing the 5 marks of the cross. A cleric wears what a clergymen wears- in our case, that white tab in what is known as a “Roman Collar.” The bishop grants new tasks to a cleric, depending on the minor orders received- they are: porter, lector, acolyte, blessing. They represent ancient tasks for men in the church- doorkeeper, reader of scripture, assistant at the altar, and blessing of items.

UPCOMING

Aug 13- YMSofR Cookout
Aug 15 – Feast of Dormition
Aug 19- Golf Tourney
Aug 23 – Next Bible Study
Sep 6 – Next Food Ministry
Sep 14 – Clerical Elevation

YMSOFR COOKOUT – YMSofR members (and interested men of the parish) are invited to branch president David Micka’s house after 11am Mass on Sunday, August 13 for a cookout and meeting. David lives just two blocks from the church – see him or Fr. Jason for more info.

NEWSLETTERS – For August have been printed, emailed, US mailed, and placed in your parish mailboxes. All feedback is welcome!

YMSOFR GOLF TOURNEY- Will be held on Sat. August 19 in Buffalo, NY. We would still love for St. Mary's to be well-represented. Transportation is available if you are willing to return late Saturday.

MASS REQUESTS – There are a few open Sunday's to offer Mass for a loved one. Available are 9/10, 10/1, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 12/10.

Prayer List

Please pray for these St. Mary's parishioners:

Barbara Baranowski	Jeanette Chambers	John Spilka
Bill & Joan Kastak	Marty Bengela	Ralph & June Zaun
Stan Dobrowski	Anna Dawidziuk	Frank Dominik
Craig Atherton	Mary Ann Loschelder	Tom Petrie
Chester & Helen Budney	Floyd & Elaine Rzonca	Len Pryer
Chester & Ann Warzala	Kathleen Beres	Louise Cygan
Bill & Pat Glatzer	Johanna Markiewicz	

Please pray for family and friends of St. Mary's:

Wanda Clark	Beth Chihill	Michael Cosevin
Helen Cummings	Jane Hunter	Baby Emma
Jay Grabowsky	Pam Chesar	David Vaden
Donna Kidd	Anne Komorowski	Jennifer Knitt
Laina Dachtal	Bp. Stanley Bilinski	Muffie B.
Cherise Pacanovsky	Bp. John Swantek	Cecelia Hall
Fr. Gus Sicard	Fr. Sr. Joseph Soltysiak	Chris Minch
Alison Jambor	Edna Samelson	Daniel Morgan
Wanda Heffner	Bryson Dzurhoff	Mike Curran
Chet Nezelkewicz	Rich Dombrowski	Greg Soucie
Gene Hiatt	Marcia Klein	Evelyn Hinz
Mark & Kim Andreas	Caroline O'Connor	Barbara Thome
Jeannie Bartko Muran	Marcus Vaughn Jr.	Marilyn Girard
Stephanie Milla	John Clark Sr.	Brian Sidle
Al Tomasello	Shannon Alberino	Bill Chambers Sr.
Larry Hoekstra	Daniel Morgan	Coleen Fisteck
Brooke Beuttner	Jeremy Steinbrick	Mike Sikut
Larry Bernacki	Charlotte Williamson	Bob Phipps

Also those who are in nursing homes or assisted living:

Gene Mora

Polly Gajda

ALL ACTIVE & RETIRED CLERGY NEEDING HEALING
ALL SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN AROUND THE WORLD

Lord, bring all service personnel safely home!!!

Bless them, O Lord.

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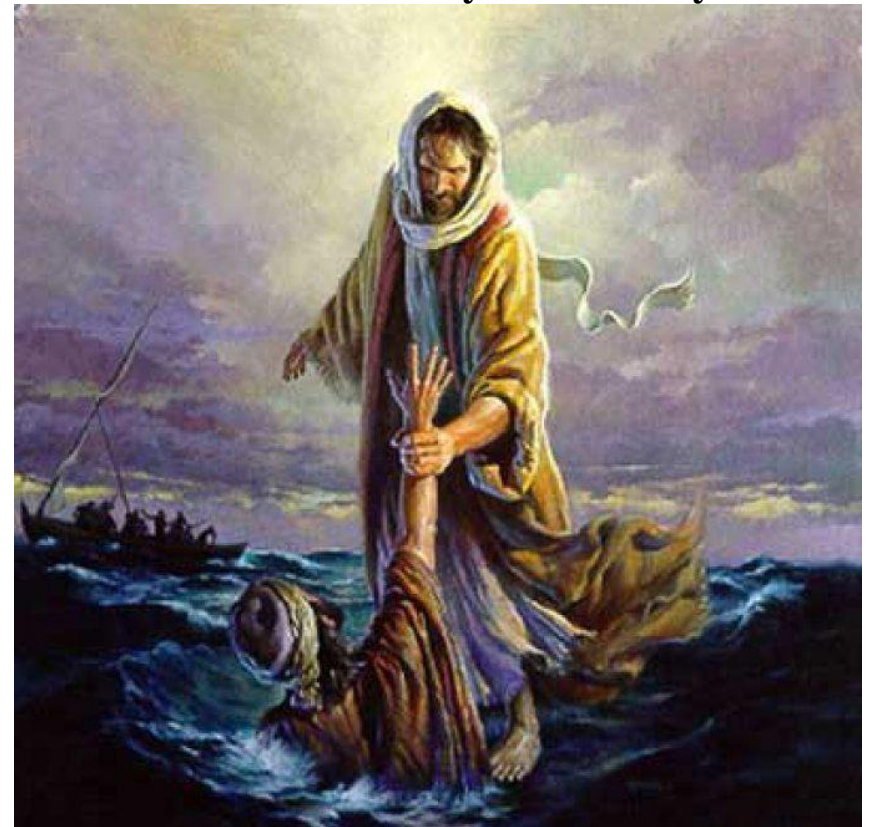
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The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



August 13, 2017

TO OUR VISITORS – We welcome you to St. Mary's today. Please consider joining us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments. We hope you enjoyed your time with us and plan on worshipping with us again.